

Mayor and City Council Update July 20, 2018



To: Mayor and Council
From: Administration
CC: Department Heads

Library News

Summer Reading Update (SRP)

- Over 2,001 hours read to date
- 1,145 prizes for reading awarded
- 581 children registered for SRP
- 3,426 patron attended programs to date

(Photo is from our Summer Finale)



Workforce Development

A "Build Cobb" spokesman will present an informational session about this free job training program at Smyrna Library on Wednesday, July 25, at 11 a.m. The Mobile Career Center Coordinator will also talk about free services for jobseekers offered by Work Source Cobb.

Keep Smyrna Beautiful

- We welcomed Julie Barwig officially on Monday.
- We are working on updating our Social Media and the website.
- We are working with the Jonquil Garden Club and Parks on the Grand Re-Opening of the Sensory Garden.
- The Outdoor Market is going well. Several new inquiries from prospective vendors have come in this week.
- We are working with Frank Martin and Maxwell on installing the final bike rack from the Marlboro Trail Grant.

During our walk with the Assistant City Administrator on the morning of June 20th, we picked up trash along the way. We filled 2 bags!

Thanks to all who walked and cleaned.

Fire Department

Incidents

Fire-	2
EMS Calls-	55
Other-	36
Total Calls-	93

Response:

Congratulations to Firefighter Wade Roberts for winning the Smyrna Fire Second-Quarter Golden Axe Award. Firefighter Roberts is always a great representation of SFD both on and off-duty.



Police Department

Total number of calls for service: 1,078

Training: 175 hours

Projects:

Working on State Certification.

Working on driver training for city employees.

Our efforts at establishing a PAL program is moving slowly; we are planning and reaching out to other agencies to establish best practices.

Accomplishments:

We were challenged for a "Lip Sync" video; we put together a "Lip Sync" video and as of this morning we have had over 300,000 views, 10,350 shares, with nothing but positive comments.

Public Works

Windy Hill Road Blvd Project:

The AT&T Contractor is currently relocating fiber duct between Ventura Place and Burbank Circle Lane Shifts remain in place between this areas, Demolition has begun on 907 Windy Hill Rd., Asbestos surveys have been completed for 581 Windy Hill Rd. And 591 Windy hills Rd. Request for quotes for demolition has been sent out.

Paving Projects:

Baldwin Paving Co was issued a letter of notice to proceed, start date of 7/23/18

Sanitary Sewer:

Atlanta Gas Lights contractor SEC are cleaning and videoing the sanitary system and making repairs to the system due to cross bore issues in the area of Oakdale Dr., Ridgecrest Dr., Oak view Dr. and Manor Dr. this week.

Southeast Pipe contractor has started cleaning and videoing sub basin 3 outfalls this is part of the process of the upgrade and rehabilitation of the sub basin 3 sanitary sewer outfalls main from Jonquil plaza to Cobb Parkway and Lake Park Drive.

Storm Drainage:

- Pat Mell Rd. the contractor worked on back filling and installation of trench drains; project is 85% complete.
- Honeysuckle Drive Contractor installing Storm drain and upgrading sanitary sewer; project is 50% complete.
- Public Works storm sewer & rehab detention contractor has installed all of the grass matting on the pond slopes seeded and straw area; project is 95% complete.

Curbing Project:

- Twin Oaks curbing project is about 65% complete.
- Public work crews repairing curbing prior to paving 95% complete

Projects out for Bid:

- Community Center Roof Replacement
- Public Works Shed Addition
- Lake Park Drive Drainage

2016 SPLOST Project Adjust traffic signal fiber heights on GP poles throughout the City.

Street Department addressed landscaping and grass cutting this week.

Community Development

Type	#	Estimated Cost of Construction	Location
Building New/Residential	5	\$751,778	5- Woodland Parc Pod A
Building Remodel/Residential	19	\$331,528	8- Reroof 5- Interior 1- Remodel w/ Addition 3- Demo 2- Accessory
Building Remodel/Commercial	2	\$191,276	2 Remodel- 3200 Highlands Pkwy (Dr. Morgan) & 560 Windy Hill Rd
Electrical	1	-	-
Plumbing		-	-
HVAC	11	-	-
Signs	1	-	1 Wall Sign- 1270 Concord Rd (Supertax)
Grading	3	\$1,837,844	3- 2731 Mathews St; 2787 Bell Dr (Woodbury); 3366 Old Concord (Enclave at Old Concord)

WEEKLY INSPECTIONS:

Type	Number	# of Sites
All	196	114

FILM PERMIT

- Staff reviewed an application and issued a Film Permit to Bride Lake Productions for filming of a Netflix TV Series on Emory at Smyrna Hospital campus.

POTENTIAL BUSINESS

- Staff followed up with real estate representatives for Wise Bowl Brewery regarding potential brewery locations.
- Staff continues to research brewery ordinances and received information from other cities such as Kennesaw, Marietta and Duluth.

OTHER

- The Economic Development Manager conducted interviews with four finalists for the Economic Development Coordinator position.

NEW BUSINESSES:

Name	Location	Home/Commercial	Description
M4 INSURANCE AGENCY	660 WINDY HILL RD	C	INSURANCE BROKER
COBB PEDIATRIC ASSOC	1060 WINDY HILL RD	C	PHYSICIANS
ATLANTA ARE REAL ESTATE INSPECTION	827 TIMBERLAND ST	H	HOME INSPECTIONS
SALON OF ZEALOUS	2215 GOODWOOD BLVD	H	BEAUTY SHOP

Parks and Recreation

July 11 - July 17, 2018

	Resident	Non Resident	City Function	Allied Groups (Pro Bono)	Programmed Activity	Independent Contractor
Community Center						
Magnolia	2		1	1	1	
Dogwood	2				5	
Jonquil					4	
Tulip	1	1			5	
Sunflower	1				1	
Azelea		2				
Daisy					13	
Lily	1				5	
Orchid	3			2		
Large Gym	1				6	
Small Gym	2				4	
Wedding Gazebo						
Brawner Hall						
Banquet Hall	3	3		2		
Studio A						
Studio B		1				
Conference						
Taylor Brawner House	1					
Reed House	1					
Aunt Fanny's Cabin		1				
Tolleson Day Room		1				
Pavilions						
Brinkley (2)						
Chuck Camp						
Church Street						
Cobb (2)	1	1				
Jonquil						
Lake Court						
Riverline (2)						
Rose Garden (2)						
Taylor Brawner (3)	3	2				
Tolleson (2)	3	1				
Whitfield						
Sports Fields						
Brinkley						
Chuck Camp					1	
Jonquil	1					
Riverline						
Tolleson	7				14	
Cobb	3					
Ward				2	4	
Totals	36	13	1	7	63	